UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

JANET BAKER and JAMES BAKER, JKBAKER LLC and JMBAKER LLC,

Plaintiffs,

v.

DEXIA, S.A. and DEXIA BANK BELGIUM (formerly known as ARTESIA BANKING CORP., S.A.)

Defendants.

GARY B. FILLER and LAWRENCE PERLMAN, Trustees of the TRA Rights Trust,

Plaintiffs,

v.

DEXIA, S.A. and DEXIA BANK BELGIUM (formerly known as ARTESIA BANKING CORP., S.A.)

Defendants.

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STONINGTON PARTNERS, INC., a Delaware Corporation, STONINGTON CAPITAL APPRECIATION 1994 FUND L.P., a Delaware Partnership and STONINGTON HOLDINGS, L.L.C., a Delaware limited liability company,

Plaintiffs,

v.

DEXIA, S.A. and DEXIA BANK BELGIUM (formerly known as ARTESIA BANKING CORP., S.A.)

Defendants.

Civil Action No.: 04-10411 (PBS)

DEXIA'S MOTION SEEKING LEAVE TO FILE A REPLY MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT OF ITS MOTION FOR JUDGMENT ON THE PLEADINGS

Dexia Bank Belgium ("Dexia") respectfully seeks leave to file a reply memorandum in support of its Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings. Dexia seeks leave to file this reply, attached hereto as Exhibit A, in order to respond to certain specific points raised by Plaintiffs in their opposition papers that were not addressed in Dexia's original memorandum.

Dated: July 26, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

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Local Rule 7.1(A)(2) Certification

Counsel for Dexia conferred with counsel for Plaintiffs who oppose this motion on the basis that it is too close to the hearing date of July 28, 2006. If, however, the Court is inclined to grant Dexia leave to file a reply, Plaintiffs will seek leave to file a sur-reply, to which Dexia does not object. Plaintiffs also propose that the hearing date may be moved if the Court agrees to this arrangement.

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/s/ Breton Leone-Quick Dated: July 26, 2006